Mile High Area of Narcotics Anonymous Regional Committee Member Report August 3, 2008

The Regional Assembly went well. On Saturday we had a good turnout for the Learning Day activities. Experience was shared on the topics of Traditions 1-7 at the Group level and Tradition 6-12 at the Area level in the morning session. Our RD & RDA were able to present a partial workshop on Leadership in Narcotics Anonymous.

On Sunday the Regional meeting was attended by 19 GSR's and GSRA'S with 5 being from the Mile High Area. The Vice Chair reported on the options available currently for phone services within the region. The proposal from the previous meeting was addressed again in old business; asking to provide an information line and phone service to Area's that currently do not have service if it is requested by the Area. This proposal was tabled once again in order to present the cost to the Areas for consideration. There is a one time set up fee of \$100.00 and \$15.00 per month for maintenance. Some discussion that transpired was information being vague, there are no guidelines, and it was pointed out that this proposal was just to make the line available to an Area if they decided to use this service. The Vice Chair also brought up discussion concerning the possible formation or use of a Public Relations subcommittee. This brought about the same discussion points from the April assembly. As a result the Chair has appointed another ad-hoc committee to reinvestigate this tool.

Public Information presented a nomination for a new chair of Tawni C. She was not present therefore could not be voted in. One proposal presented by this committee is to make Outreach a standing subcommittee of the region.

H & I is making strides on getting DOC clearance for members to go into Sterling and Canyon City. The committee is in need of male volunteers. There was discussion about using JPal to do correspondence with inmates from some of the Federal prisons.

Brenda E. is now our Regional Delegate and will be attending the Rocky Mountain Zonal Forum. The RDA position remains open. We created a new CRSC Budget standing subcommittee. CRCNA guideline changes have been approved. Colorado Springs brought a bid to host CRCNA next year and was awarded the bid. We will have more information soon as they already have three bids to choose from.

Other areas are doing well. The Pikes Peak Area has begun an Outreach subcommittee and has begun to do some letter writing to inmates in the institutions in their area. I received a name and phone number that I will be passing onto our Outreach subcommittee.

I would like to thank the Area once again for making it possible for me to attend the Regional Assembly and I have returned 22.81 to the treasure, along with my receipts. Many who were in attendance went to a Saturday night meeting and we had great fellowship.